

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective October 1, 2000

Application or Docket Number

09/849,966

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	22	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	22 minus 20 =	2
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 minus 3 =	1
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	11	Minus	20
Independent	3	Minus	3
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

SMALL ENTITY TYPE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	355.00
OR	BASIC FEE
X\$ 9=	126
OR	X\$18=
X40=	80
OR	X80=
+135=	270
OR	270
TOTAL	1186
OR	TOTAL

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	16	Minus	27
Independent	5	Minus	5
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	X\$18=
OR	X80=
X40=	270
OR	270
+135=	270
OR	270
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE
OR	270

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	17	Minus	27
Independent	7	Minus	7
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

ADDITIONAL FEE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	X\$18=
OR	X80=
X40=	270
OR	270
+135=	270
OR	270
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE
OR	270

The entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2 and the entry in column 3 is the highest number previously paid for. IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20". The highest number previously paid for in this space is less than 3, enter "3". The highest number previously paid for (Total / Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.



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Applicant: Hiroyuki Hyodo

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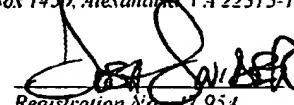
For: CARBONACEOUS
PROTECTIVE LAYER,
MAGNETIC RECORDING
MEDIUM, PRODUCTION
METHOD THEREOF, AND
MAGNETIC DISK
APPARATUS

Art Unit: 1773

Examiner: Resan, Stevan A.

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AMENDMENT E

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed April 15, 2005, and pursuant to the
Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-
identified Application as follow:

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